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**SUBMISSION OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
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The applicant respectfully requests consideration of the attached Information Disclosure Statement. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.97(b)(3), no fee is required.

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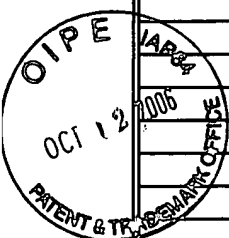
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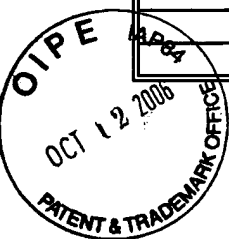
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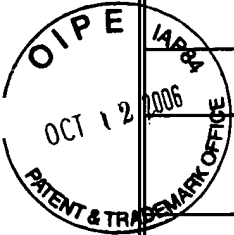
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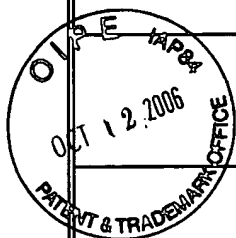
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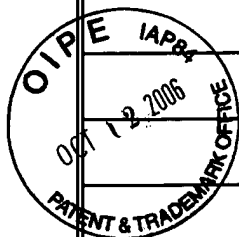


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